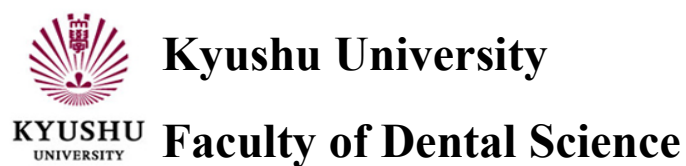


**October 2026 Enrollment**

**Guidelines for Prospective Applicants to the International Master's Program  
in Graduate School of Oral Science**

**Admission**



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## Years Required for Graduation: Master's course 2 years

### **Types of Degree**

The "Master's degree (Oral Science)" shall be common to all four courses, with a clear focus on oral health sciences.

### **Requirements for Completion**

Students must be enrolled for at least two years and earn at least 30 credits.

Students must earn a minimum of 8 credits from the required core curriculum, 18 credits from the course you have chosen (including 14 credits from doing research) and 4 credits from other classes outside of your course. Student must obtain a total of 30 credits or more to graduate.

Please consult with your academic advisor regarding course selection.

Credits are awarded by examinations or reports.

In addition to enrollment for at least two years and the acquisition of the required credits, a Master's thesis based on original research must be submitted. Upon successful completion of the thesis review, students are awarded a Master's degree (Oral Science).

However, students with outstanding research achievements may complete the program in one year.

## Field of Course, Research Area and Supervisor

Field of Course	Research Area	Supervisor
Advanced Medical Specialist Training Course	Pediatric Dentistry and Special Need Dentistry	Prof. Fukumoto Satoshi
	Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics	Prof. Takahashi Ichiro
	Endodontology and Operative Dentistry	Prof. Maeda Hidefumi
	Periodontology	Prof. (Ikiru Atsuta)※Department Chair
	Fixed Prosthodontics	Prof. Atsuta Ikiru
	Implant and Rehabilitative Dentistry	Prof. Ayukawa Yasunori
	Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology	Prof. Chikui Toru
	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery	Prof. Moriyama Masafumi
	Oral and Maxillofacial Oncology	Prof. Kawano Shintaro
	Dental Anesthesiology	Prof. Yokoyama Takeshi
	Geriatric Dentistry and Perioperative Medicine	Prof. Kashiwazaki Haruhiko
General Dentistry	Prof. Wada Naohisa	
Medical Administration and Educational Institution Leadership Training Course	Preventive and Dental Public Health Dentistry	Prof. Takeshita Toru
	Dental Education	Prof. Tsukiyama Yoshihiro
Medical Technology Developer Training Course	Biomaterials	Prof. Ishikawa Kunio
Basic Medical Researcher Training Course	Molecular Cell Biology and Oral Anatomy	Prof. Yamaza Takayoshi
	Molecular and Cellular Biochemistry	Prof. Jimi Eijiro
	Oral Neuroscience	Prof. Shigemura Noriatsu
	Aging Science and Pharmacology	Prof. Kanematsu Takashi
	Oral Pathology	Prof. Kiyoshima Tamotsu
	Oral, Brain and Total Health Science	Prof. Yasukochi Tomoyo

Please make contact with the professor in your chosen research area and get informal acceptance before applying to our International Master's Program.

You are encouraged to make use of the **Kyushu University Academic Staff Educational and Research Activities Database** (<https://hyoka.ofc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/search/index.html>) and the **Pre-admission Support Desk (PSD)** (<https://iaas.kyushu-u.ac.jp/>) to contact the professor you would like to study under.

# Guidelines for Prospective Applicants to the International Master's Program in Graduate School of Oral Science

## Admission

International students who meet the following requirements may apply to the International Master's Program.

### 1. Required Qualifications

Hold foreign nationality and meet the following requirements:

- (1) Those who have graduated from a university or expect to graduate in September 2026 .
- (2) Those who have received or expect to receive (by September 30, 2026) a bachelor's degree regulated by the prescription of Paragraph 7, Article 104 of the School Education Law.
- (3) Those who have completed or will complete sixteen years of verifiable school education in a foreign country by September 30, 2026.
- (4) Those who have completed or expect to complete 16 years of education by September 30, 2026 by studying the relevant subject/s in Japan through a correspondence course provided by the school abroad.
- (5) Those who have completed a 16 year course at an overseas educational institution as required by the Japanese Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science, and Technology (hereinafter referred to as "MEXT") , or be expected to do so by the end of September 30, 2026.
- (6) Those who have already had or expect to have a degree corresponding to that of a bachelor's through the completion of courses with a term of study for three years or more by September 30, 2026 (which includes the completion of an equivalent degree taken through a correspondence course in Japan provided by a foreign university, and also includes the completion of an equivalent degree issued by an educational institute which is designated as equivalent to those in Japan based on the conditions stated above and is acknowledged as a part of the formal education in the applicant's home country) at a foreign university or another overseas educational institute (limited to those appropriately rated by an accreditation agent of the government of the applicant's home country or by another officially approved accreditation institute, or specifically and independently designated as equivalent by MEXT).
- (7) Those who have completed or are expected to complete the specialized course at a technical school (limited to those whose course term is over 4 years and who meet other criteria established by MEXT) recognized by MEXT after the date designated by MEXT.
- (8) Those designated by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (see Notification No. 5 of the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology, 1953).
- (9) Those who have been admitted to a graduate school pursuant to the provisions of Article 102, Paragraph 2 of the School Education Law, and have been recognized by the graduate school of this university as having the academic ability suitable for receiving an education in the graduate school of this university.
- (10) A person who has been enrolled in a university for 3 years or more or completed 15 years of formal education in a foreign country by September 30, 2026, and has been recognized by this graduate school as having earned the prescribed credits with excellent grades.
- (11) Those who are recognized by the school as having academic ability equivalent or superior to that of a university graduate and have reached 22 years of age through individual screening of application qualifications.

## 2. Application Period

May 7 (Thursday) – May 19 (Tuesday), 2026

## 3. Application Documents

Applicants should submit the necessary documents for the application to the Student Affairs Office, Graduate School of Dental Science, Kyushu University.

The documents for the application should be sent by registered special delivery mail, and should arrive at Kyushu University within the application period.

(Address)

Student Affairs Office, Graduate School of Dental Science, Kyushu University  
3-1-1 Maidashi, Higashi-ku, Fukuoka, 812-8582, Japan  
TEL: +81-92-642-6261

- i. Application form (Kyushu University format) \*Attach two photos (5 x 4cm) to your application form
- ii. Curriculum Vitae
- iii. College diploma and college transcript from the last school you graduated from

Please submit the originals.

- iv. Entrance examination fee: 30,000 JPY

Please transfer in Japanese yen and cover all the commission costs when you transfer.

(Not required for Japanese government scholarship (MEXT) students)

N.B. This fee is non-refundable

Applicants are asked to either ① make a bank transfer (make sure to enclose a photocopy of the remittance receipt together with their application documents as proof of payment) or ② pay the application fee online via “e-payment.” Payment of all bank charges, including any transaction charges, is entirely the responsibility of the applicant.

<①Bank Transfer>

Beneficiary:

Name	Kyushu University
Address	744 Motooka, Nishi-ku, Fukuoka 819-0395
Country	JAPAN

Beneficiary's Bank:

Name	SUMITOMO MITSUI BANKING CORPORATION
Branch Name	FUKUOKA BRANCH
Address	1-1-1 Hakataekimae, Hakata-ku, Fukuoka 812-0011, JAPAN
A/C No.	7119240
Swift Code	SMBCJPJT

<②Credit Card Payment>

Payment can be made by credit card online at;

<https://e-shiharai.net/> (in Japanese)      <https://e-shiharai.net/english/> (in English)

\*For detailed information on how to pay all fees online, please see the page labeled “How to Pay Your Application Fee by Credit Card” at the end of this brochure.

- v. Submission of original TOEIC, TOEFL, or IELTS score reports

(for applicants seeking exemption from the written English examination).

If your English language ability is assessed as sufficient, based on your submitted TOEIC, TOEFL, or IELTS score report, you will be exempt from taking the written English examination.

However, if an original score sheet is not submitted, you will be required to take the written English examination. Please submit an original score reports dated within two years of the master's degree application deadline.

The original score report will be returned to you after processing.

**【Original score sheet】**

- Official Score Certificate of TOEIC
- Test Taker Score Report or Institutional Score Report of TOEFL  
(Score Record of TOEFL-ITP is also accepted)
- Test Report Form of IELTS

**4. Selection Method**

Selection will be based on the results of examination, interview and application documents.

Written examination and interview

Place: Faculty of Dental Science, Kyushu University

Date: June 2 (Tuesday), 2026

Time (JST)	Subject
9:30~10:30	Field of Specialty*
10:50~12:20	English
13:30~	Interview

\*You will be examined on your field of specialty and related subjects.

\*In general, entrance examination and interview for examinees residing overseas are conducted online using Zoom.

**5. Notification of Results**

Applicants will be notified by email.

July 1 (Wednesday), 2026

**6. Enrollment Procedure**

The enrollment documents will be sent to the successful applicants' registered address in early February. These documents must be completed during the enrollment period, July 13 (Monday) to July 21 (Tuesday), 2026.

\*If you do not complete the enrollment procedure during this period, you will lose your place.

Entrance fee and tuition fees

Entrance fee: 282,000 yen

Tuition fees: 267,900 yen for half a year (Annual amount 535,800 yen)

\*All fees are waived for Japanese government scholarship (MEXT) students.

\*All fees shown here are subject to change.

## **7. Use of Personal Information**

- i. Your personal information is only used for the application process, admission procedure and data collection.
- ii. Your personal information is protected under Japanese Personal Information Protection

## **8. Applicants with Disabilities**

The University provides consultation for applicants with disabilities who may require special arrangements during the entrance examinations or in classes after enrollment.

Please contact the following office prior to the application process as soon as possible as it sometimes takes extra time to decide on the arrangements depending on the situation.

## **9. False Statements in Application Documents**

If false statements or forgeries are discovered in the application materials, your admission may be retroactively revoked, even after you have been accepted or enrolled.

Contact Information:

Student Affairs Office, Graduate School of Dental Science, Kyushu University

3-1-1 Maidashi, Higashi-ku, Fukuoka, 812-8582, Japan

TEL: +81-92-642-6261

E-mail: [ijgsigaku@jimu.kyushu-u.ac.jp](mailto:ijgsigaku@jimu.kyushu-u.ac.jp)



Education (since graduating high school)	
(dd/mm/yy)	
Employment	
(dd/mm/yy)	
Professional Qualifications (e.g. Dental License Registration Number)	
(dd/mm/yy)	

Signature

Date (dd/mm/yy)

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**Examination Rules**

1. Candidates cannot enter the examination room without their examination card.
2. Candidates must sit in the seat allocated to their examinee number and display their examinee card on their desk during the exam.
3. Candidates can bring pencils (not colored pencils), erasers and pencil sharpeners into the examination room. All other materials are not permitted.
4. Additional information will be given prior to the start of the examination

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**Curriculum Vitae: Educational Background**

Category	School Name	Location (City/Country)	Period of Schooling	Period of Attendance (dd/mm/yy)
Elementary Education				
Secondary Education (Junior High School)				
Secondary Education (High School)				
University (Undergraduate Level)				

Signature

Date (dd/mm/yy)

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**Curriculum Vitae: Employment Record**

Name of Organization	Location	Period of employment (dd/mm/yy)	Position	Type of work

Signature

Date (dd/mm/yy)

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	<b>Application Form</b> The International Master's Program in Graduate School of Oral Sceience			
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	Marital Status ( <input type="checkbox"/> ) <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Married			
Field of Course, Research Area and Supervisor				
Course of choice	Field of Course			
	Research Area			
	Supervisor			
Most recent university	( <sup>dd</sup> / <sup>mm</sup> / <sup>yy</sup> ) <input type="checkbox"/> completed <input type="checkbox"/> will complete			
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	Email:		Nationality	
Correspondence Address (if different)	Postcode:		Tel:	
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		Email:		

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## How to make the Payment for the Application Fee by Credit Card, Union Pay.

24 hours a day, 365 days a year, you can pay anytime! Easy, Convenient and Simple!

You can pay the Application Fee by using Credit Card, Union Pay.



Access

<https://e-shiharai.net/ecard/>



Online Transaction

### 1. Top Page

Click "Examination Fee".

### 2. Terms of Use and Personal Information Management

Please read the Terms of use and Personal Information Management.  
Click "Agree" button located in the lower part of this page if you agree with these terms.  
Click "Not agree" button located in lower part of this page if you do not agree with these terms.

### 3. School Selection

Select "Kyushu University (Undergraduate Schools)" or "Kyushu University (Graduate Schools)."

### 4. School Information

Read the information carefully and click "Next".

### 5. Category Selection

Choose First to Fourth Selection and add to Basket.

### 6. Basket Contents

Check the contents and if it is OK, click "Next".

### 7. Basic Information

Input the applicant's basic information.  
Choose your credit card and click "Next".

### Paying at Credit Card

Input Credit Card Number (15 or 16-digits), Security Code and Expiration date.

All of your application information is displayed. Check and Click "Confirm".

Click "Print this page" button and print out "Result" page.

### Paying at Union Pay

Follow the onscreen instructions to complete the card payment.

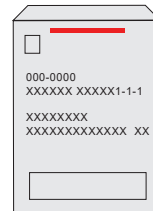
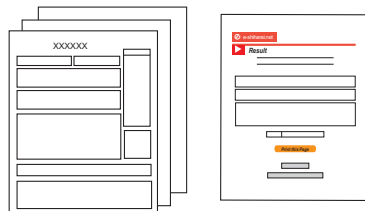
Please click the "Application Results" button in the upper part of this site (e-shiharai.net).

Please write down the "Receipt Number" given when you complete your application, and enter your "Payment Method", "Receipt Number" and "Birth Date". Please make sure your printer is ready.

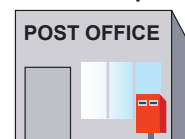
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Enclose the printed "Result" page in an application envelope with other necessary application documents.

Necessary application documents



Mail it via post



### [NOTICE/FAQ]

- You can make a payment anytime, during the payment period mentioned in the application instructions.  
Please refer to the application instructions and complete payment in time.
- Please complete payment by 11:00 pm Japan time, on the last date of the payment period.
- Please note that refund is not possible once you have made a payment of Application fee.

- A fee is added to Examination fee. For further info, please visit our website.
- It is possible to use a card which carries a name different from that of the applicant. However, please make sure that the information on the basic information page is that of the applicant him/herself.
- If you did not print out "Result" page, you can check it later on Application Result page. Please enter "Receipt Number" and "Birth Date" to redisplay.
- Please directly contact the credit card company if your card is not accepted.

For questions or problems not mentioned here, please contact:

**E-Service Support Center Tel : +81-3-5952-9052 (24 hours everyday)**